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LONDON FOR THIGPEN ROME FOR FODAG

1. FINAL ARRANGEMENTS NOW COMPLETED FOR AD HOC MEETING ON INTERNATIONAL GRAIN RESERVES TO BE HELD IN LONDON FEBRUARY 10 AND 11. MEETING WILL CONVENE IN CONFERENCE SUITE OF INTERNATIONAL WHEAT COUNCIL (IWC), THIRD FLOOR OF HAYMARKET HOUSE, 28 HAYMARKET, LONDON, S.W. 1. ON MONDAY FEBRUARY 10 AT 10:00 AM. WE EXPECT MORNING AND AFTERNOON SESSIONS TO BE NECESSARY BOTH DAYS.

2. NO NEGATIVE RESPONSES RECEIVED TO OUR SUGGESTION TO PROPOSE IWC EXECUTIVE SECRETARY JOHN PAROTTE AS INDEPENDENT CHAIRMAN FOR MEETING (PARA. 5 REF. A) AND NO OTHER CANDIDATES SUGGESTED. WE THEREFORE INTEND TO OPEN MEETING WITH PROPOSAL THAT PAROTTE BE ASKED TO SERVE AS CHAIRMAN.

3. FOLLOWING GOVERNMENTS HAVE CONFIRMED THAT THEY WILL PARTICIPATE IN AD HOC MEETING: ARGENTINA, AUSTRALIA, THAILAND, CANADA, EGYPT, AND JAPAN. EUROPEAN COMMUNITY WILL ALSO PARTICIPATE, WITH OBSERVERS FROM SOME MEMBER STATES.

INDIA AND BRAZIL HAVE INDICATED THEY EXPECT TO PARTICIPATE. SOVIETS HAVE NOT YET CONFIRMED THEY WILL PARTICIPATE. PRC WILL NOT REPEAT NOT, PARTICIPATE.  
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4. ACTION ADDRESSEE REQUESTED INFORM HOST GOVERNMENTS OF ABOVE ITEMS.

5. FOR BRASILIA, MOSCOW AND NEW DELHI - PLEASE ADVISE DEPARTMENT AND EMBASSY LONDON (FOR THIGPEN) AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF STATUS OF HOST GOVERNMENT'S PLANS TO PARTICIPATE IN MEETING, INCLUDING NAMES AND TITLES OF

REPRESENTATIVES.

6. US WILL ALSO HOST SEPARATE INFORMAL CONSULTATION IN LONDON FEBRUARY 8 AMONG MAJOR WHEAT EXPORTERS (US, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, ARGENTINA AND EC). PURPOSE OF CONSULTATION IS TO REVIEW 1974-75 WORLD DEMAND-SUPPLY SITUATION FOR GRAINS, PREVIEW OUTLOOK FOR 1975-76, AND EXCHANGE INFORMATION AND VIEWS ON CURRENT PRODUCTION POLICIES AND ROLE OF MAJOR GRAIN EXPORTERS IN MEETING WORLD FOOD NEEDS DURING REST OF THIS DECADE. EXPORTERS CONSULTATION NOT REPEAT NOT INTENDED TO CONCERT VIEWS OF EXPORTERS PRIOR TO RESERVES DISCUSSIONS FEBRUARY 10 AND 11. ADDRESSEE POSTS IN COUNTRIES NOT INVITED TO EXPORTERS MEETING SHOULD NOT INITIATE DISCUSSION OF EXPORTERS MEETING BUT MAY RESPOND TO HOST GOVERNMENT INQUIRIES, DRAWING ON ABOVE. KISSINGER

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